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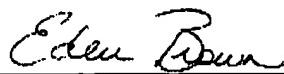
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In reply to the Office Action mailed on 6 April 2005, the three month shortened statutory period for responding to which expires on 6 July 2005, the following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted: